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In re Application of

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Method And Device For The Reduction Of Load

Cycle Oscillations In The Drive Train Of A

Motor Vehicle

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.705

SIR:

In the Notice of Allowance mailed on January 30, 2004, the Determination of Patent Term adjustment under 35 U.S.C. §1.54(b) is listed as 0 days. Applicant believes that the term should be 102 days.

The application was filed on July 13, 2001. The first office action under 35 U.S.C. §132 was issued on October 29, 2002, which results in a +46 day adjustment under 37 CFR §1.703(a)(1). Applicant's response was filed on February 2, 2003, resulting in a -7 day adjustment under 37 CFR §1.704(b). A copy of the postcard receipt indicating receipt of the amendment on this date is attached. A second office action issued on August 26, 2003, which results in a +82 day

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